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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
Examining Group Number 3682**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Wesley R. Schalk et al.	Examiner:	Colby M. Hansen
Serial No.:	10/657,973	Group Art Unit:	3682
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Title:	POWER TRANSMISSION ARRANGEMENT		

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed April 10, 2006. Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment and is proposing this Amendment to place the application in a condition for allowance. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

NOT RECOMMENDED
FOR ENTRY

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